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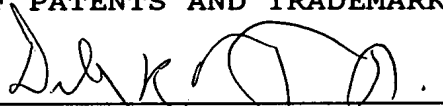
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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

As a means of complying with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.56, it is respectfully requested that the references listed on the attached PTO Form 1449 be considered by the patent Examiner and be made of record in the above-identified application. Full text copies of the references listed on the PTO Form 1449 are enclosed. This submission is believed to be in compliance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.97 and §1.98.

The materials listed as #1 through #12 were provided to assignee by a licensee. Many of the materials

bear no publication dates. Consequently, it has not been determined whether each of the specific items actually constitutes prior art. However, to the extent that dates, or what appear to be dates, have been located by the undersigned attorney, such dates are identified on PTO Form 1449. Item #12 is a foreign language document but includes an English translation.

Items #13-#15 were recently uncovered by one of the inventors. Item #14 is a foreign language document but includes an English abstract. A foreign translation of item #14 has not been obtained.

If the Examiner has any questions concerning any of the information submitted with this Information Disclosure Statement, the Examiner is authorized to telephone the undersigned attorneys.

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